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Dear Les,

The enclosed, on which I expect to obtain more if I do not sound any alerts, is only the beginning of part of the backstop fakery for the time the official mythology vaporizes.

As I come accross more I'll send it.

There are always plenty of assassination stories, if Ken ever wants to go for any serious ones.Re NYTimes today.

I have a bit more on one in today's mail.

ERDA, which I remind you represents Energy Research and Development, appears to have spent tax money for a study - of all things - of the Zapruder film.

To appear more than a decade after the Warren Report was out.

Beginning 3-4 years after the Warren Report was issued.

This is to research or develop energy? It is political fakery.

It is by a Nobel laureate and worthy of ridicule, which is separate from this is a way to spend tax money?

Luis Alvarez does not enjoy the best reputation from his part in the Oppenheimer case. Or for his personality.

However, this deviation is not inconsistent with his being part of Project (or Operation or Code-Name) Jason.

I've got this working under FOIA. What I have obtained separately is that he put a required "legal notice" on his preprint and finished piece saying it was supported by ERDA and with a disclaimer so total it includes accuracy.

(Isn't that a great way to spend tax money, a way in which there is a disclaimer on even accuracy? It appears to be a standard form.) I have xeroxes.)

He has been at the Berkeley Radiation Laboratory for years. Aside from any of his personal preconceptions, they sure lap up many federal dollars out there.

If he has been on the federal teat long enough, he may have spent federal money back in 1967, when he was a propagandist on the four-hour CBS (what I call) video-whitewash. My interest in him dates to them. It was a reasonable presumption he then ripped off some of my work, to then mine only. In his latest, having had some flak, he claims, I think weakly, not to have known of my work. (How could he when he students discussed it with him?) CBS has since confessed a cozy deal with CIA of that period.

If your people have any interest they can have whatever I get under FOIA, in addition to what I have. This is true of many other FOIA possibilities. There are so many! One is to recover evidence of a plot against FDR involving the then - and soon to retire- chief of staff of the Army. Last word from the FBI is that it destroyed its copies! Believe it? But I await long-delayed, long-overdue response from Justice, to which the FBI says it gave copies in 1940.

For when you are here agin check my Battle file, for the judge becoming a prosecution adversary - giving it evidence to use against Ray. I have it from the FBI.

Tomorrow I have an FBI conference. If anything material comes of it I'll et you know. What is already sure is that they are backing off on some of the dirty tricks I've said they would or the judge would decide.

Hastily,